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### ABOUT THE CHURCHES

Interesting News Concerning the Different Denominations.

This Column Closes Promptly at 9 A. M. Each Wednesday.

#### GRACE BAPTIST.

The Sunday School last Sunday was several more than an average. A splendid congregation greeted the pastor at the morning service. By unanimous vote the evening services were dispensed with on account of the tent meeting. The prayer meeting Wednesday evening was very good.

Next Sunday—Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. Whether we have preaching at night will be decided by vote of the congregation.

W. D. CAVE, Pastor.

#### ST. JUDE'S.

Holy Communion at 7:30. Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11. Evening Prayer and Sermon at 7:30.

St. Catherine's Guild will meet at 2:30 Friday afternoon at the church.

At 3 there will be a meeting of the women of the church which will be addressed by Miss Scheetz, the traveling secretary of the woman's auxiliary. The rector urges every woman in the parish to be present.

#### PRESBYTERIAN.

On account of the tent meeting the ladies of the Presbyterian church will hold their missionary meeting at 10 o'clock Friday morning at the home of Mrs. Boucher.

#### CHRISTIAN

Bible School 9:45 a. m. Immediately after close of Bible School Communion will be taken.

W. Garnet Alcorn.

#### Union Services.

Rev. John B. Andrews commenced the series of meetings at the North Park Sunday morning. The music is under the direction of B. E. McKleskey. The meeting started off with a large crowd in attendance and congregations have all been large. The preaching by Rev. Andrews is strong and he causes his audience to know that he has a message. He does not believe in that kind of religion that causes people to wear long faces. The seating capacity of the tent has been tried. More seats have been provided. On account of rain services were held at First Baptist church Tuesday evening. Services are to be at 3 and 7:30 p. m. each day.

The preaching and music are good. Everybody cordially invited.

#### Schafer-Tompkins.

Saturday, Sept. 19th at 8:00, Miss Wilma Schafer, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Schafer, and George Tompkins, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Tompkins, were united in marriage. The event took place in Kansas City where the groom has a good position. Both young people are well and favorably known here, having lived here almost all their lives. They are both graduates of Monroe High School and were favorites with their classmates. The Democrat joins their many friends in wishing them a happy and successful future.

Mrs. Mollie Bowers went to Palmyra Wednesday.

#### Photographing European Conflict.

The censorship in Europe since the beginning of the present conflict is more rigid than ever before, yet Popular Mechanics Magazine in its October number publishes a sixteen-page "war section" made up chiefly of views—all of them intensely interesting. Aerial warfare, long predicted by aviation "fans," has become an actuality, and a discussion of the aerial events which have already taken place, is an important feature. The article states: "In its first month this greatest of all wars has demonstrated that 'the nations' airy navies' are a factor of warfare to be seriously reckoned with. It seems to have been proved, too, that no airship or aeroplane is safe against gun fire from the ground at a height of less than one mile. One of the important questions which the experiences of this war will also ultimately answer is that of the relative value of the two general types of air craft; whether the lighter-than-air dirigible to which the Germans have mainly pinned their faith, or the heavier-than-air aeroplane, faster and less expensive, which is the mainstay of the French, English and Russian air navies, is superior in war. A rather significant fact in this connection is that in almost every instance in which a Zeppelin is known to have been used for offensive work the dispatches have later reported its destruction."

Every authentic story or picture from the war zone is obtained at great risk, and doubtless it would be interesting to know under what conditions some of the views published in the October Popular Mechanics Magazine were photographed.

#### A Progressive House Party.

Last night commenced what will be a Progressive House Party. Miss Mildred Buell was the first hostess and she entertained the crowd Wednesday night. They will take dinner today with Miss Edna Boulware and supper with Miss Calista Tooley and will spend tonight in the Patton home. Friday Miss Lila Haynie will be hostess at dinner and Mrs. J. R. Henderson at supper, and they will spend the night with Miss Lillian McNutt. Saturday they will take dinner at the country home of Miss Sallie Wailes and a Dutch lunch will be served at Christian's restaurant Saturday evening and they will spend Saturday night with Miss Ruth Wilson.

This is a jolly crowd and every one knows that they will have a splendid good time.

#### Change in Business.

E. A. and T. C. Jackson have bought an interest in the Stillwell poultry business. They are excellent gentlemen and propose to make business ium. They have a large circle of friends all of whom wish them success.

#### Mrs. Fahy Passes Away.

Mrs. Eliza Fahy, widow of William Fahy, died at St. Mary's hospital in Quincy yesterday. The remains will be brought to this city on the 9 o'clock train this morning and taken at once to Holy Rosary church and after mass will be buried in Brush Creek cemetery.

We will have an obituary next week.

Corduroy pants at Hanly & Green's.

#### Meyer-Abell.

Tuesday morning Miss Bertha Meyer of Cuba, Mo., and John Abell of near this city, were married in Cuba. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Meyer, was reared near this city and is deservedly popular as she is a most excellent young lady. She taught a number of terms of school and was quite successful.

The groom is the son of Samuel Abell and is an honest, industrious, prosperous young farmer. The Democrat joins the host of friends of the happy young people in wishing them a long pleasant journey down the stream of life together.

#### Lawless-McGartland.

At 11:30 a. m. Sunday morning Miss Julia E. Lawless and J. H. McGartland were united in marriage at the Holy Rosary Church, Rev. Fr. Ryan officiating. Miss Bess Lou Boarman and Wm. J. McGartland, a brother of the groom were the attendants. Miss Mary Kendrick played the wedding march.

Mrs. McGartland is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Lawless north of this city and a very estimable young lady. J. H. is a fine young man and is to be congratulated upon winning his prize.

After the ceremony the happy couple left for a short trip to eastern points.

The Democrat joins their many friends in wishing them a happy and prosperous wedded life.

#### The War Revenue.

Washington, Sept. 17.—As agreed upon by the democratic caucus and administration leaders the war revenue bill has been reframed to eliminate the freight tax and provide special levies. It will tax banks with capital and surplus not exceeding \$22,000, \$50 a year, and \$2 for each additional \$1,000; stock-brokers, \$50; pawn brokers, \$20; commercial brokers, \$20; customs house brokers, \$10; proprietors of theaters, museums and concert halls, \$100; circuses, \$100; public exhibitions, \$10; bowling alleys and billiard halls, \$5 per alley or table dealers in leaf tobacco, \$6 to 24, according to volume of business; dealers in tobacco, \$12; manufacturers of tobacco and cigars, \$6 to 24.

The stamp taxes proposed, subject to probable revision by the committee are in detail as follows:

Bank checks, 2 cents; drafts or bills of exchange in land, 2 cents for each \$100; certificates of deposit 2 cents; promissory notes, 2 cents for each \$100; money orders, 2 cents per \$100; express receipts, 1 cent; freight receipts or domestic bills of lading, 1 cent; telephone messages costing 15 cents or more 1 cent; bonds, 50 cents; certificates of deposit, 2 cents per \$100; certificates of damage, 25 cents; certificates not otherwise specified, 10 cents; charters, \$3 to 10; brokers' contracts, 10 cents; conveyances, 50 cents for each \$500; telegraph messages, 1 cent; life insurance policies, 8 cents on each \$100; marine, inland, fire, casualty, fidelity and guaranty, one-half of 1 per cent; leases, 25 cents to \$1; mortgages or conveyance in trust, 25 cents for each \$1,500; power of attorney to sell, 10 cents; protests, 25 cents; warehouse receipts, 25 cents.

Miss Fern Crawford who is attending school here spent the week end with her parents, E. J. Crawford and wife near Hunnewell.

### ITEMS FROM FARMERS

Of Farmers, For Farmers and Pertaining to Farmers.

#### Fly in Wheat.

Farmers tell us that the Hessian fly and eggs are in the volunteer wheat. Plowing and getting the ground in order will kill them and it is the right thing to plow under all wheat now up and then sow as late as possible.

Weekly Market Letter Published by Woodson & Fennwald L. S. Com. Co., National Stock Yards, Ill.

Cattle receipts have been moderate this week, bulk of receipts being grassers and half-fat kinds, including very good cattle. Top was \$10.85 for 24 head of 1225 pound yearling steers which we sold Monday for Heller and Akeman of Columbia, Mo. This is not only the top for this year but is the highest priced load of cattle ever sold in the history of this market. Choice kinds closing steady with last week medium to good kinds 10 to 15c lower.

Bulk of choice steers selling \$9.75 to 10.85. Good \$8.40 to 9.50 Medium \$7.25 to 8.15. Fair killers \$6.75 to 7.25.

Stockers and feeders steady. Choice \$7.50 to 7.85. Good \$6.90 to 7.25. Plain kinds \$5.50 to 6.25.

Choice light heifers strong, others steady. Choice lights \$9.25 to 10c Good \$8.00 to 8.50. Medium \$6.75 to 7.40. Fair killers and stock heifers 5.75 to 6.50.

Cows steady, choice \$7.00 to 7.50. Good \$6.00 to 6.65. Medium 5.10 to 5.65. Cutters 4.75 to 5.00. Canners 4.25 to 4.50. Bulls, milkers and veals steady.

Hog receipts moderate, market closing 10c lower today. Bulk of the good butchers and lights selling \$9.00 to 9.10. Good mixed 8.90 to 9.00. Good heavies 8.75 to 8.85.

Sheep receipts liberal, market on sheep, 40c lower, lambs \$1.25 lower than the best time last week. Bulk of the good to best lambs 7.50 to 7.75.

#### Market Report.

For Wednesday before date of paper.

Hogs.....\$8.25 to 9.00  
Sheep.....3.00 to .700  
Cattle.....6.00 to 8.25

#### Poultry.

Hens.....11½c  
Spring chickens 1 1-2 to 10½c  
2 1-2 pounds.....  
Old Roosters.....06c  
Ducks.....10c  
Turkey Hens.....10c  
Young Toms.....10c  
Toms.....10c  
Guineas, each.....17½c  
Geese.....07c  
Eggs straight.....18c  
Tallow.....04c  
Butter.....14c  
Green Hides.....10c  
Corn.....80c  
Wheat No. 2.....90c  
Oats.....40c  
Hay.....\$8.00 to \$10.00  
Baled Hay.....\$12.50 to \$13.00

Shipments for the week: McClintic & Yates 2 cars hogs; Dawson & Sharp 1 car goats, C. L. Elzea 2 cars cattle; Al Yates 1 car cattle; Henderson & Sons 4 cars poultry, 3 cars eggs.

See Woodson & Jackson's stock of wall paper and paints.

#### A Noble Charity.

The Christian Herald of New York has started a movement for the relief of the silent sufferers in Europe who are so much in need of assistance. The women, children and old men are great sufferers. More than 6,000,000 men are engaged in a deadly struggle. Many thousands are already dead; many more thousands in the hospitals. No greater calamity has ever covered the earth. There will be thousands of helpless widows and orphans whose natural providers have been stricken down. Thousands a e helpless, adrift and friendless. The Christian Herald's relief is timely. The money will be forwarded through the Department of State and all will be acknowledged. If you desire to aid in a worthy cause here is your opportunity. Any money left at the Democrat will be acknowledged and forwarded.

#### Some Builder.

Mrs. Emily Hardesty has contracted with C. A. Lawson to build for her a modern, up-to-the-minute six-room bungalow, with basement in Hawthorne Heights. Work on this building is to commence at once. Mrs. Hardesty will have a splendid, well built home as Mr. Lawson does only the best of work. This summer he has built handsome residences for C. B. Anderson, S. B. Thiehoff and for himself. All these with other houses built by Mr. Lawson are monuments to his skill as builder and prove that he does the right kind of work.

#### Woodmen of the World Will Unveil Monument at Shelbyna.

The Local Camp of the Woodmen of the World will unveil the Monument erected to the memory of the late Norvel Snyder at Odd Fellows cemetery, Sunday afternoon, Sept. 27, 2:30 o'clock, and the public is cordially invited to attend.

The officers and Uniform team of Macon Camp will conduct the services. District Manager J. Hoffman, of Hannibal, will act as Master of ceremonies, and State Manager, W. H. Hughes of St. Louis, will deliver the oration. Monroe Camp will attend the services in a body.

#### Greater Convenience.

Yates & Yates have arranged to get a greater good from the water works system. They have had a concrete base made on which to wash buggies, etc. This saves much work and the water in the barn makes a much greater protection from fire.

#### Bought Farm.

R. F. Stoddard of Palmyra has bought the 80-acre farm known as the Holmes farm west of this city, from Harry Jackson at \$125 per acre. This farm is easily worth the money. Drescher & Barnes made the deal.

Miss Gertrude Robertshaw spent Thursday evening with friends in Shelbyna. She left the following day for Caruthersville where she will join her mother who has been in that city and Shreveport, La., since the first of April. She was anxious to make the acquaintance of her nephew, Victor Minter Reid Jr. He is about two months old and from reports is a fine little fellow.

The best line of wood heaters ever shown in this city at A. Jaeger's Hardware.